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STATISTICAL RELEASE

MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - WINES

ITEM	August		11 Months through end of August	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
	(Wine Gallons)			
STILL WINES (BULK)				
Production:				
Removed from fermenters 1/	77,076,905	11,962,792	377,503,942	255,412,158
Increases after fermentation:				
By sweetening	1,527,507	1,174,764	21,410,302	14,170,653
By addition of wine spirits	794,718	626,954	7,203,409	6,527,825
By amelioration	670,321	809,642	6,540,583	6,065,739
Production, total	80,069,451	14,574,152	412,658,236	282,176,375
Withdrawals:				
Taxable:				
Not over 14% alcohol (\$1.07 per gallon)	228,897	320,123	2,118,025	1,766,923
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol (\$1.57)	2,648	25,296	187,767	253,843
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol (\$3.15)	5	0	97,606	4,087
Taxable, total	231,550	345,419	2,403,398	2,024,853
Tax-free:				
Production of effervescent wines	2,147,823	3,141,370	17,345,357	19,971,977
Production of vinegar	155,027	114,652	1,138,023	1,183,363
Production of non-beverage wine:				
Not over 14% alcohol	173,188	119,071	1,857,480	1,482,145
Over 14% alcohol	365,597	295,953	3,989,288	2,938,952
For use as distilling material 2/	391,338	269,536	9,413,425	9,704,583
Exports	746,751	814,099	7,639,243	7,604,850
Tax-free, total	3,979,724	4,754,681	41,382,816	42,885,870
Stocks end-of-month total:				
Not over 14% alcohol	251,147,883	214,156,209		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	24,743,273	22,334,604		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	2,747,154	3,113,172		
Stocks end-of-month, total	278,638,310	239,603,985		
STILL WINES (BOTTLED)				
Bottled 3/	39,578,520	37,780,471	405,084,584	344,668,286
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol	28,709,935	36,276,753	323,336,218	309,539,461
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	2,117,123	1,279,723	24,560,600	23,632,724
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	2	0	78,679	814
Taxable withdrawals, total	30,827,060	37,556,476	347,975,497	333,172,999
Tax-free, export	2,432,338	1,799,192	20,929,781	17,616,498
Withdrawals, total	33,259,398	39,355,668	368,905,278	350,789,497
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol	67,310,733	62,521,365		
Over 14% and not over 21% alcohol	3,831,029	2,899,493		
Over 21% and not over 24% alcohol	1,025	2,063		
Stocks end-of-month, total	71,142,787	65,422,921		
EFFERVESCENT WINES (BULK AND BOTTLED)				
Produced	2,028,318	3,425,925	19,607,331	21,777,489
Bottled	2,631,958	2,963,063	20,443,749	20,313,185
Taxable withdrawals:				
Artificially carbonated	20,485	20,198	219,462	272,402
Naturally carbonated	1,661,200	1,819,319	19,686,981	20,026,331
Taxable withdrawals, total	1,681,685	1,839,517	19,906,443	20,298,733
Tax-free, export	170,918	145,868	1,360,312	1,271,946
Withdrawals, total	1,852,603	1,985,385	21,266,755	21,570,679
Stocks end-of-month	15,046,108	16,338,610		

NOTE: Vermouth and other special natural still wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in still wines. Other special natural carbonated wines taxable withdrawals and stocks are included in effervescent wines.

1/ Excludes substandard wines produced as distilling material for the production of brandy.

2/ Additional wine expressly produced as distilling material.

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ITEM	August		11 Months through end of August	
	1996	1995	1996	1995
	(Wine Gallons)			
SPECIAL NATURAL WINES				
VERMOUTH:				
Production	324,985	242,897	1,708,073	2,146,444
Taxable withdrawals	192,140	200,515	2,303,380	2,202,663
Stocks end-of-month	1,965,761	2,128,261		
OTHER SPECIAL NATURAL WINE				
Production:				
Not over 14% alcohol	1,699,076	1,587,254	16,291,968	19,888,704
Over 14% alcohol	579,707	22,858	5,447,551	5,216,682
Artificially carbonated	784	2,304	107,932	164,997
Naturally carbonated	460	161,140	561,921	303,724
Total	2,280,027	1,773,556	22,409,372	25,574,107
Taxable withdrawals:				
Not over 14% alcohol	1,133,913	1,959,498	14,203,545	16,989,450
Over 14% alcohol	439,472	487,157	5,849,517	5,854,212
Artificially carbonated	8,060	9,095	93,096	141,978
Naturally carbonated	1,864	33,687	524,305	132,450
Total	1,583,309	2,489,437	20,670,463	23,118,090
Stocks end-of-month:				
Not over 14% alcohol	2,342,270	3,473,214		
Over 14% alcohol	1,244,319	980,520		
Artificially carbonated	23,150	44,527		
Naturally carbonated	780	219,414		
Total	3,610,519	4,717,675		
27 CFR 24.218 Wines (Wine Coolers)				
Production	2,988,802	2,892,292	49,065,788	28,331,214
Taxable withdrawals	2,287,228	2,117,007	23,204,859	16,858,859
Stocks end-of-month	6,998,228	3,520,374		
DISTILLING MATERIAL				
Production: California	19,179,115	5,026,119	95,942,752	74,759,931
Florida	0	0	540	4,505
Others	0	0	0	0
Removed to distilled spirits plants	13,865,841	11,885,719	105,095,675	91,202,937
VINEGAR STOCKS				
Removed to vinegar plants	0	21,141	1,422,867	221,104

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Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Special Natural Wines		
	Production 1/	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Vermouth		
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Production	Taxable Withdrawals	Stocks End-of-month
Arizona	9,018	0	0	10,089	0	0	0	0
California	73,477,972	11,159	116	238,159,127	21,270,616	314,971	181,930	1,931,384
Colorado	780	27	0	60,725	311	0	0	0
Connecticut	2,070	0	0	26,951	533	0	0	0
Florida	33,477	0	55	31,913	10,248	0	0	0
Georgia	70,410	776	389	366,791	229,354	55	110	58
Idaho	0	0	0	23,496	0	0	0	0
Iowa	3,114	0	0	6,090	5	0	0	0
Kansas	3,442	0	0	4,684	0	0	0	0
Kentucky	68,944	0	5	24,080	181,353	0	0	0
Maine	660	0	0	1,172	0	0	0	0
Maryland	3,050	0	0	18,157	5,013	0	0	0
Massachusetts	4,847	1,168	0	35,309	90	0	0	0
Michigan	23,475	0	0	163,325	29,430	0	0	0
Minnesota	934	0	0	10,133	338	0	0	0
Mississippi	0	0	0	61,959	0	0	0	0
Missouri	4,568	0	0	124,780	36,518	0	0	0
New Jersey	78,001	0	0	54,960	1,834	0	0	0
New Mexico	3,671	0	0	274,054	470	0	0	0
New York	2,711,712	1,921	2,088	3,843,650	5,496,603	4,648	9,040	25,042
North Carolina	7,280	0	0	17,542	0	0	0	0
Ohio	27,733	3,131	0	385,842	174,054	5,311	1,060	9,277
Oregon	40,163	0	0	459,506	11,863	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	25,027	0	0	222,062	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	1,005	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	8,718	2,057	0	50,583	0	0	0	0
Texas	277,388	0	0	727,147	6,402	0	0	0
Vermont	147,397	0	0	92,947	0	0	0	0
Virginia	5,470	0	0	220,355	1,233	0	0	0
Washington	7,854	208,598	0	5,351,113	20,000	0	0	0
West Virginia	1,653	0	0	14,343	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	15,361	0	0	22,773	55	0	0	0
Others 2/	11,711	60	0	282,225	14,104	0	0	0
Total	77,076,905	228,897	2,653	251,147,883	27,490,427	324,985	192,140	1,965,761

Bulk Wine Gallons By State	Special Natural Wines			Effervescent Wine				
	Production	Other Taxable With- drawals	Stocks end-of- month	Production	Taxable withdrawals			Stocks end-of- month
					Artificially Carbonated wines	Naturally Carbonated wines		
California	2,172,695	1,406,783	3,472,327	1,939,699	0	0	9,679,494	
Michigan	4,315	2,756	10,022	6,192	0	0	24,109	
Missouri	0	0	0	2,639	0	0	3,241	
New Jersey	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,515	
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	34,323	
New York	97,569	167,203	116,072	68,387	0	0	463,392	
Ohio	566	243	2,057	411	0	0	23,806	
Oregon	0	0	0	0	0	0	105,041	
Pennsylvania	214	590	5,595	777	0	0	2,396	
Washington	0	0	0	67	0	0	277,463	
Wisconsin	1,113	1,388	1,626	0	0	0	34	
Others 2/	3,555	4,346	2,820	10,146	0	0	128,096	
Total	2,280,027	1,583,309	3,610,519	2,028,318	0	0	10,745,910	

1/ Removed from fermenter exclusive of distilling materials.

2/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Wyoming.

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Bottled Wine Gallons By State	Still Wines					Effervescent Wines			
	Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of-month		Bottled	Taxable withdrawals		Stocks end-of- month
		Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol	Not over 14% alcohol	Over 14% alcohol		Artificially carbonated wines	Naturally carbonated wines	
Arizona	0	1,174	0	30,450	0	0	0	138	219
California	35,887,115	25,391,966	1,157,990	56,593,789	3,060,954	2,241,759	10,437	1,279,206	3,783,527
Colorado	0	5,700	244	33,219	2,071	0	0	0	146
Connecticut	6,141	4,381	29	35,423	742	79	0	17	92
Florida	31,262	37,950	3,810	66,890	0	250	0	178	816
Georgia	23,217	8,880	16,323	470,710	3,106	0	0	0	0
Idaho	29,306	20,942	0	226,953	0	4,548	0	2,190	15,124
Iowa	3,514	3,521	0	914	0	0	0	0	0
Kansas	2,903	3,321	0	1,073	0	0	0	0	0
Kentucky	0	0	11,000	0	8,868	0	0	0	0
Maine	10	1,793	0	3,675	0	0	0	0	847
Maryland	9,539	5,754	1,712	21,000	0	0	0	7	142
Massachusetts	7,421	6,671	66	35,503	0	426	0	173	1,230
Michigan	69,555	62,907	592	288,734	2,851	889	159	1,615	8,206
Minnesota	3,939	1,614	1	15,819	273	0	0	14	145
Mississippi	1,499	1,973	0	6,930	0	0	0	0	0
Missouri	15,267	31,785	1,393	236,358	25,165	1,447	1,838	253	15,124
New Jersey	11,120	407,488	22,439	273,671	20,409	276	0	21,653	22,758
New Mexico	2,904	5,075	176	24,296	122	32	0	2,810	5,137
New York	2,184,674	1,247,279	879,692	1,885,863	471,935	333,715	7,101	310,884	222,094
North Carolina	16,753	13,817	0	63,867	1,092	350	0	376	462
Ohio	77,966	59,340	5,303	175,693	38,701	338	0	2,310	7,628
Oregon	204,895	110,302	10,169	1,243,228	89,988	1,792	375	1,483	8,979
Pennsylvania	39,473	35,451	0	175,585	0	427	503	38	1,373
South Carolina	999	334	0	16,401	0	0	0	0	0
Tennessee	7,928	7,357	0	27,923	0	0	0	0	0
Texas	62,803	70,237	202	154,445	3,072	0	48	5	210
Vermont	214,166	203,376	0	23,582	597	0	0	0	0
Virginia	45,905	43,546	0	354,965	0	99	0	310	1,345
Washington	581,960	385,193	2,014	2,704,245	14,537	45,531	0	37,193	201,949
West Virginia	1,145	1,376	0	9,351	0	0	0	0	0
Wisconsin	23,560	17,542	93	43,472	461	0	24	11	1,012
Others 1/	11,581	511,890	3,877	2,066,706	87,110	0	0	336	1,574
Total	39,578,520	28,709,935	2,117,125	67,310,733	3,832,054	2,631,958	20,485	1,661,200	4,300,139

1/ Excludes Alaska, Delaware, District of Columbia, Nebraska, North Dakota, Puerto Rico, South Dakota, and Wyoming.